

December 18, 2022
Service Leader, Corey Swertfager
Presenter, Rev. Joe Mohr
Musician, Laura Black

I think us here to wonder, myself. To wonder. To ask. And that in wondering 'bout the big things and asking 'bout the big things, you learn about the little ones, almost by accident. But you never know nothing more about the big things than you start out with. The more I wonder, the more I love.
~ Alice Walker, *The Color Purple*

Welcome—for coming together

Gathering Music	Selection of Chanukah Music	Laura Black
Calling Bell		
Prelude	Selection of Chanukah Music	Laura Black
Welcome and Announcements		
Opening Reading	<i>To Love Life</i>	Daniel Chesney Kanter
Dedication of Chalice	<i>The Nights of Midwinter</i>	Dawn Fortune
Hymn (Insert)	<i>Oh Hanukkah, Oh Hanukkah (2x)</i>	

Contemplation—looking for meanings

Meditation	<i>Meditation on Winter Celebrations</i>	Elizabeth M. Strong
Moment of Silence		

Offering—stewardship of our church

Call to Offering	<i>As a Fire Exists by Burning</i>	John Saxon
Offering Music	<i>Prelude in E Minor by Frederic Chopin</i>	Laura Black
Hymn # 235	<i>Deck the Hall with Boughs of Holly</i>	

Community—a time for sharing

Personal Joys and Sorrows		
Musical Interlude	<i>Adeste Fideles by Franz Liszt</i>	Laura Black

Theme—our search for truth

Presentation	<i>Sleighting or Slaying?</i>	Rev. Joe Mohr
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Closing—for continuing and moving forward

Hymn # 244	<i>It Came Upon the Midnight Clear (1, 2, 4)</i>	
Closing Words #684		Duke T. Gray
Extinguish Chalice		
Postlude	<i>Romanze by Franz Joseph Haydn</i>	Laura Black